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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Olaf Reinhold *et al.*  
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Examiner: Aaron Lewis  
For: INHALATION DEVICE HAVING AN  
OPTIMIZED AIR FLOW PATH

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2004. Applicants hereby petitions for a three-month extension. With the granting of the petition, this response will be timely filed within six months of the mailing of the Action.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this

paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 13 of this paper.

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